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because it is asserted, of the opposi-  
tion of Mrs. Mary Baker Eddy, who, it  
is said, did not want Christian Science  
affairs mixed in with the contest for  
this property. Toler recently sold his  
seat on the stock exchange in order to  
devote all his time to the restoration of  
Harmon's real estate to its alleged right-  
ful heirs.

LOCAL WEATHER REPORT  
YESTERDAY: Maximum temperature, 78  
degrees; minimum, 47 degrees. Wind, S.W., north-  
east, velocity 4 miles; 2 p.m., southwest, ve-  
locity 4 miles. At midnight the temperature  
was 40 degrees; clear.  
TODAY: At 9 a.m. the temperature was 67  
degrees; clear.  
Forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity:  
Cloudy; light north wind, changing to south-  
westerly.  
San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, unsta-  
ble; probably showers; light north wind,  
changing to southeasterly.  
[The complete weather report, including  
Comparative Temperatures, will be found on  
page 8.]

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THE CITY.  
Leticia makes sensation  
at First Methodist Church. Women  
sports nearly drive "Col." Black to  
drink by patronizing his poolroom.  
Half has not been told about sewer  
danger. The subject of the  
electric line to be built to Huntington  
Beach. Musicians raise rumpus about  
Royal Italians coming here. "Doc"  
Orandall discards woman who served  
him from galleys of the California  
Farm to make place for political friend.  
Convention of county assessors re-  
solved against poll tax. Big billiard  
event in February. George McDougal  
falls through viaduct and lays there  
all night. Union depot men some-  
times at night. Police officers  
in trouble with police. Street  
railway managers to be arrested for  
failing to sprinkle streets. LI-  
cense on street cars may be marked up.  
Hill street to be paved by private con-  
tract. Druggists present their liquor  
ordinances. Dr. R. V. Day resigns  
from Board of Health. New grand  
jury impeached. Annulment of Mar-  
riage denied to David de la Osa.  
Judge Trask denies injunction in Citrus  
Union case. Mike Walsh held for  
arrest to murder of John J. Sweeney.  
Exhibit for St. Louis. Schreiber's  
horses arrive. Calumna can have  
city water till March 1. H. B. Bickles  
missing. Reception to Gen. Wan-  
dewell.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Pasadena  
prisoner said to have covered  
long criminal trail. Grand jury sen-  
tation promised in San Bernardino.  
Santa Monica annexation fails to go  
through. Highway bill. Highway  
strictured to tackle "graff." Long  
Beach to have 1800-foot commercial  
pier. Misfortunes in bunches at  
Elmore. Orange in dispute with Mon-  
rovia. Pomona office shoots him-  
self while capturing Los Angeles "bike  
thief." Army and theater for An-  
heim. Wealthy South Coast resident  
spaced high in air by locomotive. Oil  
company and Santa Fe clash at Sun-  
set. Norton hit attacked in San  
Diego.

PACIFIC SLOPE. Hugh McKinnon  
dead. McKinnon, a banker in  
Taft reports late men. Reopening of  
Nanaimo a.c. quarries. Suit against  
Bunker Hill mine. Miners' union  
sued for \$25,000. Conroy and de-  
ported bank clerk. New Merchant  
Exchange in "Frisco." Orange Ship-  
pers' suits. Rush orders for naval  
vessels.

# GUERRILLA CAMPAIGN ON THE ISTHMUS.

## In Anticipation of It Marines Land from the Cruiser Prairie.

### American Force Proceeds to Yavisa by Tug—Will Guard Trans-Isthmian Road from Darien—Keen Interest in Army Circles at Washington—Arrival of Gen. Bell. Torpedo Boats Going.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)

COLON (Panama) Dec. 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A force of ma-  
rines under Capt. Butler, from the United States auxiliary cruiser  
Prairie, was sent to Panama from here today. They embarked  
there on a tug and were taken to Yavisa, 100 miles below Panama.

The first offensive move against Colombia involves American forces  
exclusively, and it is believed to be the beginning of what may prove  
a long-drawn-out guerrilla campaign. The force sent today is under  
orders to guard the trans-isthmian road from Darien, over which the  
Colombian army is supposed to be advancing.

The United States force is expected to check the Colombian ad-  
vance. This, it is believed, will result in a sharp conflict between the  
two forces, the outcome of which may depend upon the strength of  
the Colombian troops numerically.

It was announced here today that more marines are to be sent to  
other points inland, to keep any possible Colombian invasion in check.  
The expedition that started today is under command of Capt. Smedley  
D. Butler. Yavisa is some distance inland on the Tuira River, which  
empties into San Miguel Gulf.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] News of the  
movement of marines southward from Panama, based as it was on the  
reported landing of Colombian troops in that part of the isthmus, was re-  
ceived today, with keen interest in army circles, where the subject  
has been under consideration for some time. A desire to participate  
with the navy in any military movements on the isthmus.

The General Staff is the subject of immediate attention. There was, however, no outcome in the shape of  
orders to troops, though the arrival here of Brig. Gen. J. Franklin Bell, su-  
perintendent of the General Staff College at Leavenworth, was regarded as con-  
firming the previous statements to the effect that the army is making ready  
to do its share at a moment's notice.

Gen. Bell was in consultation with some of the members of the General  
Staff during the afternoon.

VALLEJO, Dec. 14.—The employees of the storeroom department were  
bought all Sunday transporting stores to the stores, which will leave, probably  
Thursday, or Friday. For the better  
the sensational report that "the  
entire torpedo fleet is ordered to Pan-  
ama" is not confirmed officially. So  
far, the Panama and the Tuira are  
the only torpedo boats with or-  
ders to go to Panama. These two boats  
are now ready to leave for the lower  
bay, but await the arrival of some of  
the officers from the fleet. Some of  
the vessels and troops were at Tur-  
bo the 11th; that information reliable.  
Atlanta returns today to Gulf for further  
search.

THE SECOND DISPATCH READING:  
"Atlanta arrived yesterday. Started  
San Blas Point to Port Gaudi, not hav-  
ing seen or heard anything of troops or  
vessels. Communication with shore at  
the principal points. Indians suspi-  
cious of strangers. Found trails San  
Blas Point to Porto Bello passable for  
small parties, but none leading inland.  
Atlanta leaves today to cruise to Cape  
Tiburon and Gulf of Darien."

COLOMBIA'S DEBT.  
PANAMA HELD RESPONSIBLE.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
LONDON, Dec. 14.—[By Atlantic Ca-  
ble.] The correspondent of the Morn-  
ing Leader at the Hague says it is re-  
ported there that both Holland and  
Great Britain insist that the respon-  
sibility of Panama shall assume liability for  
\$15,000,000 of the Colombian debt.

REYES WOULD ACCEPT CALL.  
HE STUDIES THE SITUATION.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Of elec-  
tor to the Presidency of Colombia, by the  
overwhelming majority which Bogota  
dispatches indicate, Gen. Rafael Reyes,  
Colombian Minister to the United  
States, the Associated Press learns  
would regard the call of his country as  
a command which it would be difficult  
for him to refuse to obey. It is learned  
today that Gen. Reyes has been asked  
to accept the call of his country as  
the nature of his note to the State De-  
partment formally setting forth Colom-  
bia's views of the Panama situation.  
These dispatches only indicate as to  
the nature of his note to the State De-  
partment formally setting forth Colom-  
bia's views of the Panama situation.

TO KILL POWELL.  
Plot to Assassinate the American  
Minister Discovers at Santo Do-  
mingo—Secret Dispatches Brought  
to New York Concerning it.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—[Exclusive  
Dispatch.] A plot to assassinate  
William F. Powell, United States  
Minister at Santo Domingo, was re-  
ceived today. It was thought to be  
the Dominican Consul General, Orlan,  
a passenger arriving on the fruit  
steamer Foxhall, from Puerto Plata.  
The name of the messenger is not made  
public, but from an authoritative  
source it is learned that his private  
dispatches bear the signature of a  
prominent Dominican official.

These dispatches only indicate an al-  
leged plot to assassinate Powell, but  
tell of two attempts on the life of  
President Jimenes. According to the  
report, the plot against Powell was  
hatched in the Cabinet of the provin-  
cial government, of which Morales is  
the head.

A secret purveyor of news adds that  
several members of the Cabinet op-  
posed the plan of assassination, and  
that it was abandoned by a formal  
vote. The best-informed men on the  
island, however, believe that the vote

what form his statement shall take.  
Gen. Reyes calls at the State De-  
partment today, and was closeted with  
Assistant Secretary Loomis for nearly  
an hour. In reply to a question the  
general said he had given assurances  
to this government that pending his  
diplomatic mission to Washington there  
would be no hostilities on the part of  
the Colombian troops. As to what  
would be done after that, the general  
would make no statement, but signifi-  
cantly shrugged his shoulders.  
He would not disclose the nature of the  
paper which he is preparing for presen-  
tation to the State Department.

MINISTER REAPPEARS RETURNING.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—United  
States Minister Beaupre has reported  
to the State Department from Bogota  
that everything is quiet there, and he  
sees no occasion to postpone his leave  
of absence. He will start at once for  
the United States.

CARLOSANA FROM GLASS.  
COLOMBIAN GUNBOATS TRACED.  
(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Two cables  
were received today from Admiral  
Cochran, dated Colon, December  
13, as follows:  
"Mayflower today reports Cartagena  
and Pinzon were at Turbo with four to  
eight hundred men. Took in some sup-  
plies. Sailed 11th, and supposed to have  
landed the troops at Gandi. Atlanta,  
however, was at Gandi the 11th, and got  
opposite information, and United States  
Consul at Cartagena reports. Carta-  
gena returned there the 11th. No doubt  
the vessels and troops were at Tur-  
bo the 11th; that information reliable.  
Atlanta returns today to Gulf for further  
search."

FOUR CENTS  
PER WORD.  
Great Reduction in Cable Tolls  
Made Possible by New  
Invention.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
LONDON, Dec. 14.—[Exclu-  
sive Dispatch.] The Western  
Union Telegraph Company yes-  
terday successfully tested Or-  
ling's speed-reducing device. It was  
said that the increase in calling  
speed attained was such as to  
render possible a reduction in  
tolls to 4 cents a word.

SPENCER ENDED ADAM AND EVE.  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—In a sermon  
on the life of the late Herbert Spencer,  
the Rev. Dr. Minot J. Savage has given  
the theory of evolution credit for hav-  
ing "forever destroyed intelligent be-  
lief on the part of anybody in the Gar-  
den of Eden, Adam and Eve, or the  
fall of man." "Evolution," he asserted,  
"has forever removed those stories,  
and kindred ones, to the land of myth,  
where they belong."

ALMOST A LYNCHING.  
Quick Action by Officers at Fort  
Douglas Prevented Private Being  
Strung up by His Comrades.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.)  
SALT LAKE (Utah) Dec. 14.—Quick  
action of United States officers at Fort  
Douglas probably saved Private Thom-  
as R. Fuller from lynching at the  
hands of his fellow-soldiers today.  
Fuller was this morning positively  
identified as the soldier who last night  
criminally assaulted Miss Edith Gill  
in the southwestern part of the city,  
leaving her unconscious and severely  
injured. When the soldiers at the post  
learned that Fuller had been identified  
as the girl's assailant, a rope was hastily  
secured and a crowd of them hur-  
ried down the steep road to intercept  
the street car in which they supposed  
Fuller would be conveyed to the city.  
When this was learned, Fuller was  
hustled into the post ambulance, and  
under strong guard, was driven into  
town.

Fuller's home is said to be in San  
Francisco. He enlisted here two weeks  
ago.

FORTUNE SECRETED BY  
DR. ROSENK IS FOUND.  
OAKLAND PHYSICIAN HAD THREE  
SACKS OF DOUBLE EAGLES.

Bank Books Show Balance of Twenty-  
nine Thousand Dollars to His  
Credit—Treasure Hidden Beneath  
Chest of Drawers in Laboratory.

(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.—[Exclu-  
sive Dispatch.] The search for treas-  
ure about the home of Dr. Gustav  
Rosenk of Oakland, whose death oc-  
curred ten days ago, has been reward-  
ed by finding \$2000 in gold coin and  
bank books showing where he has on  
deposit \$29,000. The discovery was made  
by Albert Kayser and Gustav Foltz,  
recently appointed as temporary ad-  
ministrators of the estate pending the  
arrival from Germany of his son.

The treasure was found secreted un-  
derneath a chest of drawers in the  
laboratory which Rosenk maintained  
at his home. It was all in 200 gold  
pieces, and was in three sacks, one  
containing \$200, another \$300 and the  
third \$200, while the bank books were  
wrapped in a channel box through  
which the money was sent to the bank.

Dr. Rosenk, who was a prominent  
physician, was found dead in his study  
last night. He was 45 years of age.  
The fact that he had been a secret  
treasurer, as that while the evidence ac-  
tually before it, the public judgment as to  
how you ought to act will be based  
on an entirely different and erroneous  
idea of what the evidence is.

"If the evidence actually given called  
for Gen. Wood's presence, I should of  
course bring him back from the Peni-  
tentiary, but I do not feel justified in  
withdrawing him from the important  
duties which he is performing on ac-  
count of false reports of evidence  
which have never in fact been given.  
It hardly seems fair that an officer  
who is not here to protect himself, but  
is serving his country faithfully under  
orders on the other side of the world,  
should have his reputation soiled in  
this way. I earnestly invite your at-  
tention to this subject. Very respect-  
fully,  
[Signed]  
"ELIHU ROOT."

Gen. Bliss, in a letter, contradicts  
the report that he strongly opposed the  
admission, without payment of duty,  
of the silver service purchased in New  
York by one Jai Alai, and that he re-  
ceived mandatory instructions from  
Gen. Wood to admit said silver service  
free of duty. He says he testified most  
positively under oath that neither di-  
rectly nor indirectly, verbally nor in  
writing, personally from him or  
through any subordinate, nor from any  
person whatsoever, had he received  
"even an intimation as to the remission  
of duty upon these articles; that I or-  
dered the remission of duty because I  
believed then and believe now it was  
in accordance with the law; that if any  
mistake was made, I was solely re-  
sponsible for it. I further testified  
that during the two and a half years  
that I served directly under the or-  
ders of Gen. Wood as military govern-  
or of Cuba, I know of no action of his  
that was not consistent with the char-  
acter of an honorable officer and a man  
of integrity."

CHAPLAIN OF THE SENATE.  
DR. E. E. HALE ELECTED.  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—[Exclu-  
sive Dispatch.] The United States Senate  
today elected probably the most widely-  
known and eloquent clergyman in the  
United States as the chaplain, when,  
upon motion of Senator Allison, Dr.  
Edward Everett Hale of Boston was  
chosen for that place. Dr. Hale is  
more than 60 years old and scores  
of years of service in the Senate,  
because he needs it or the small salary  
that goes with it but for the sake of  
having some excuse for living one win-  
ter in Washington, where his distin-  
guished forebears in years gone by  
played their conspicuous part in na-  
tional affairs.

No man even approximating his won-  
derful career has ever been chaplain of  
either Senate or House in Washington.  
As a publicist and patriot, Dr. Hale did  
valuable service in preceding the Civil  
War as an agitator against slavery,  
although he never was an extremist  
like William Lloyd Garrison and Wen-  
dell Phillips. During the war, by news  
poems, "Take the Lead" and "Put It  
Through," he secured the northern pub-  
lic in doing its duty. By urging re-  
cruiting among his own church mem-  
bers.

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WOOD NOT  
THE FIRST.  
Stabbed in the Back  
While on Duty.

Secretary Root Calls Attention of  
Senator Proctor to Gross  
Attacks by "Knockers."

False and Malicious Statements  
Given to the Press as Testi-  
mony Before Committee.

Dr. Hale for Senate Chaplain—Se-  
cretary Root's Recus—The  
Two Houses.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Secretary  
Root has addressed the fol-  
lowing letter to Senator Proctor,  
acting chairman of the Committee on  
Military Affairs.

"Sir: I inclose a letter from Brig.  
Gen. Tucker H. Bliss, asking attention  
to the report of his recent testimony  
before your committee as a witness re-  
garding certain objections to the con-  
firmation of Gen. Wood. It appears  
that the press reports of Gen. Bliss's  
testimony are the precise contrary of  
what he in fact testified. He wished  
that Gen. Wood's presence in the Peni-  
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or of Cuba, I know of no action of his  
that was not consistent with the char-  
acter of an honorable officer and a man  
of integrity."

CHAPLAIN OF THE SENATE.  
DR. E. E. HALE ELECTED.  
(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)  
WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—[Exclu-  
sive Dispatch.] The United States Senate  
today elected probably the most widely-  
known and eloquent clergyman in the  
United States as the chaplain, when,  
upon motion of Senator Allison, Dr.  
Edward Everett Hale of Boston was  
chosen for that place. Dr. Hale is  
more than 60 years old and scores  
of years of service in the Senate,  
because he needs it or the small salary  
that goes with it but for the sake of  
having some excuse for living one win-  
ter in Washington, where his distin-  
guished forebears in years gone by  
played their conspicuous part in na-  
tional affairs.


No man even approximating his won-  
derful career has ever been chaplain of  
either Senate or House in Washington.  
As a publicist and patriot, Dr. Hale did  
valuable service in preceding the Civil  
War as an agitator against slavery,  
although he never was an extremist  
like William Lloyd Garrison and Wen-  
dell Phillips. During the war, by news  
poems, "Take the Lead" and "Put It  
Through," he secured the northern pub-  
lic in doing its duty. By urging re-  
cruiting among his own church mem-  
bers.

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**"The  
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Ten chances to one he would select some article of apparel. If you wish to please him, give him any of the following: : :

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Here's an idea and a good one.  
Give a dainty white apron, something fine and pretty.  
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At a very low price and these go on sale tomorrow morning.  
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Dainty, white lawn on se. Aprons, with hemstitched hem and bib, good width and length. Regular 35c values, special at 25c each.

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White lawn aprons with deep hem, embroidery medallion above hem, full width and length. Special at 35c each.

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White lawn nurse aprons, with wide reverse, embroidery insertion in bib and reverse. Special at 50c.

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Fancy white Swiss aprons, trimmed with Valenciennes insertion, seven rows running perpendicular in apron, trimmed with ribbon bows. Special at 75c.

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Women's glove sets \$1.25 to \$3.50.  
Women's work boxes \$2.50 to \$1.35.  
Autograph albums 25c to \$5.  
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Christmas shawls at \$1.25.  
Breakfast shawls at \$1.25.  
Handsome golf vests \$1.00.  
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Pullman Parlor Car all the way.

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**VICTORIA, B. C.** Dec. 14.—Lord Alford, chief of the Canadian forces, returned from Port Simpson and finally on the government steamer *Albatross*. He went to look into the situation with respect to the report at the United States intended to forgo the islands and the Kanaagwa Islands visited both islands and also Pearce and Wales Islands, which were both under the control of the United States. He declined to risk his visit, but from others it is learned that he regards the situation in Kanaagwa Islands as unstable and that the United States position and is so much higher than that of the United States would make any fortification on the United States Islands untenable.

**Heide Left Three Notes.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Dr. J. J. Hamilton of this city committed suicide today by taking cyanide of potassium. He was treasurer of the University of California Medical College and professor of gynecology at that institution. He had been suffering from cancer which he had taken his own life and indicating that he was despondent. He was 46 years of age. He leaves a wife and a daughter, Mrs. Vera Higgins, in Butte county. About six months ago he was diagnosed as having cancer of the prostate gland and he died of his property to his wife cause of his death.

**Sh Work on Club House.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—The Navy Club, the cornerhouse for Enlisted Men, which was destroyed by the recent fire, has reached such an advanced state of construction that the Navy Club is expected to be ready for business by Christmas dinner to a number of United States sailors and marines.

**Man Missing.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Frank J. McLaughlin, who was taken to this city from Des Moines, Iowa, a week ago last Friday, is missing and his friends fear that he has met with foul play. McLaughlin was the owner of a pickle factory at Des Moines. He came to this city in business. He has not been seen since last Monday, at which time he had \$600 in his pockets.

**Mean Mean Money.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—There has been considerable activity in the San Francisco county hop market during the last few days and about 1200 bales of hops have been sold at prices averaging 22 cents per pound. The total amount of hops sold in this county.

**Is Late Bankruptcy.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Frank Benedict Boone, a butcher of Stockton, Cal., who was declared bankrupt by the Federal court, has liabilities are \$5036.50, and his assets are \$3653. Edwin C. Schleuter, a Niles, Cal., merchant, was committed to the city by the bankruptcy law. He has debts amount to \$7353, and his assets are \$3400. M. C. Orlandi, a San Jose, filed his petition in bankruptcy, stating that he owed \$2000, and his assets are \$125.

**Dead and Dead from Gas.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Paul J. O'Connell, a steward, has been found dead at his residence in this city, overcome by gas. He was a native of France, and 44 years.

**Save Chinese Company.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—The announcement is made that J. S. Van Orman, general manager of the Chinese American Steamship Company at Hongkong, has resigned and will remain to this city.

**They Succeed Themselves.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Gov. Par-

tee today responded Dr. R. M. Powders and Dr. W. L. Garrison trustees of the State Normal School at San Diego. Their terms expired last July, but no appointments were made to succeed them until today, when they were appointed to succeed themselves.

**Turned on Gas, Then Died.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Mrs. Mary Jane Fitzgerald, 72 years old, committed suicide last night by turning on the gas. She had been sick and an appointment was made to succeed her body was found this morning.

**Overcome by Gas.**  
**SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 14.**—Edward Klug, 60 years old, was accidentally asphyxiated early this morning at his home in this city.

**GROUND FLOOR FOR GERMANY IN MOROCCO.**

**WHEN THINGS GO TOO FAR, SEE THERE WILL BE THERE.**

**Local Ambitions and Jealousy of Great Britain Drive Tentative to Organize Society to Agitate Baking in the Streets of Trade.**

**(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)**

**MUNICH, Dec. 14.**—(Exclusive Dispatch.) British Ambassadors and business men are organizing a society to co-operate with those which have begun a movement in Berlin in the interests of Germany trade in Morocco. They take the position that the Morocco empire may collapse at any moment, and that those nations holding the balance of power must be prepared to take the place of the empire.

**XMAS TREES FOR THE POOR.**

**"Lumber King" Danby Had Warm Spot in His Heart for Children.**

**(BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.)**

**EXCLUSIVE.** Dispatch.—The Danbys were made public today of the will of Miss Danby of Danby, the "lumber king," who died in California, last July. Over \$100,000 is left for a library in Danby and many other bequests.

The most unique feature of the will, however, is an annuity of \$2500, to provide a Christmas tree and gifts for the children of Danby, Mount Tabor and surrounding villages. These gifts are to be distributed first this year at a tree to be held in the Congregational Church of Danby. Another fund of \$2000 is provided to furnish shoes, clothing and other necessities for poor children of the same places, Christmas.

industrial and commercial standing will quickly assume control. Many will be excluded from a matter of extreme importance at a time when the world is being gripped by the African powers, seems on the point of embracing the doctrine of all-round imperialism.

It is stated that the British government is organizing a sentiment and political trial before the world's tribunals which will make the future conquest of Morocco, in conjunction with France, perfectly simple.

## FLASHES FROM THE WIRTS

A thousand specifications of cruelty re laid against Lieut. Schilling of the ninety-eighth Regiment of Infantry, at a trial before the Wirts today. The hearing will be private.

The Chicago Presbytery yesterday adopted a resolution condemning the production upon the stage of "Barabbas" and other so-called religious plays which depict Jesus Christ subjected to temptation by women.

Jewish immigration to America is increasing in proportion, in consequence of the scarcity of work.

It is reported in Kiel naval circles that the German third-class cruiser "Seydlitz" will be sent to St. Louis for the opening of the exposition.

During a fierce gale Sunday night the schooner Sallers' Home was driven ashore at St. Mary's Bay, and the crew of six persons perished.

King Alfonso yesterday completed his visit to Lisbon. He will reach Madrid in Friday.

Mrs. Roosevelt was one of the spectators in the Supreme Court of the United States yesterday when the Garfield case was being argued. She was accompanied by Mrs. Knox, wife of the Attorney-General.

The trial of Isaac Gravelle, charged with sending threatening letters to southern Pacific officials, in connection with the dynamite explosion on the coast road during September and October, began in the District Court at Helena, Mont., yesterday.

About one hundred witnesses subpoenaed.

An arrest has been made by the Brooklyn police in connection with a Brooklyn murder which occurred early yesterday under the shadows of the Brooklyn bridge. Salvatore Speciale as the victim, and he is believed to have paid with his life for the missing evidence in the trial of four counterfeiters a few weeks ago. He was asured to his death by a woman who was about to flee from this country.

Vigorous measures are being taken by the New York Board of Health to prevent an outbreak of smallpox, and it is appointed sixty-four new inspectors, who will cooperate with the force of regular inspectors in searching for persons who have not been vaccinated. Many cases of smallpox have been reported lately in large cities near by.

William Mayme, superintendent of the insane asylum at Lancaster, wa killed by Thomas Fox, a patient, who brained the official with a poker.

Frank Bradbury, an Ottumwa (Iowa) chinchinist, has fallen heir to a fortune estimated at \$1,000,000, left by his uncle, Thomas Bradbury of New York, an auto manufacturer.


The Cooperative Association of America has issued a call for a national convention to be held in Faneuil Hall, Boston, January 15 to 18, to "promote economic and cooperative self-government."

Miss Helen Gould yesterday notified her friends among the Board of Lady Managers of the World's Fair that under no circumstances could she consider acceptance of the position of president, to succeed Mrs. James L.

Blair. This, according to the members themselves, leaves the contest practically between Mrs. Miller Horton of Buffalo and Mrs. Daniel Manning of Washington.

During a drunken riot on the streets of Chanute, Kan., yesterday a policeman shot Ed McLaughlin through the chest. McLaughlin and Ellish Wells then made a stand and fired into a crowd of 200 persons which had pursued them. A policeman returned the shot, but no one was hurt. McLaughlin yesterday slipped rally on St. Louis yesterday caused a collision between two street cars. Ten persons were injured. Those most seriously hurt are: William Taylor, motorman; William Stinson, conductor; Bert Burke, Peter Gallagher and John Ehle. Five others were slightly hurt.

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Small size Elgin or Waltham watches, some hand-carved, some rose gold, enameled or jewel set, \$33 to \$175.

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valuable CHRISTMAS PRESENT  
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greater variety of shoe  
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Hall—**Wet Appetites.**  
The ball given last night at  
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of the 10th Regiment Infantry,  
commanded by about 300 couples.  
The affair was one of the pleasantest  
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The ball hall had been con-  
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of the pleasantest social  
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with fancy border in red, blue or  
all white, excellent for hospitals,  
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price \$4.50. Special \$3.00.  
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selected for holiday or wedding  
gifts, pink, blue, red, lavender or  
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Comforts, filled with one sheet of  
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Flour or Grape Nuts 25c  
3 pkgs. 25c  
4 pkgs. 25c  
Citron, Orange and Lemon Peel, per lb. 5c  
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2 pkgs. 15c  
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## ARIZONA WOULD GO IT ALONE.

Proposed Union with New Mexico Meets Much Opposition.

Few Wild West Features in Exhibit at St. Louis Fair.

Glendale Beet-sugar Factory May be Abandoned—Arizona News.

SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 1.—Although a Statehood Bill has been introduced by J. F. Wilson, Arizona's Delegate to Congress, much less interest than ever before appears to be taken this winter in the Statehood movement. The main interest is in the proposition to join Arizona with New Mexico, a scheme bitterly opposed by almost every intelligent voter of Arizona. Col. Wilson has written his impression concerning the progress of the Statehood agitation in Arizona in a letter to a prominent Southern Arizona attorney. He says: "As to your inquiry concerning the Statehood matter, I can only say that so far as votes are concerned, we certainly have a sufficient number in both Houses to pass the bill at any hour; but, as to what negotiations will be effected as to the bill during its progress in committee and otherwise, it is impossible to say. But for delays the opposition is now maneuvering. I feel sure that I have the union of the two Territories completely blocked. I feel positive that no sort of a bill cannot pass, and even the President concedes this, as I am informed. However, this is a piece of tactics that I must watch closer than anything else."

The Arizona World's Fair Commission is now putting in its work of preparation for the Terrier's exhibit at the St. Louis Exposition. The services of local representatives have been called upon in all the counties of the Territory, and now appointments have been made of the employees at St. Louis. They include: Ernest Ford of Phoenix; horticultural exhibit, George D. Christy of Phoenix; agricultural exhibit, N. Bernard of Tucson; mineral exhibit, which is to be shown a geological map of the Territory, now being prepared by Prof. William F. Blake, director of the School of Mines of the Territorial University. The Indian and Wild West features of the Territory will be shown to a very limited extent, and cacti and Gila monsters will be conspicuous by their absence. A large number of exhibits will be an exhibit of the Geological Survey, embracing a colored relief map of Mexico City, and a geological map of the Territory, which is considered as a model of a rural community that owes its existence to irrigation. Also to be exhibited will be a large model of the Tonto Basin dam, together with full descriptive plates of the district which it will reclaim, constituting the most comprehensive and intelligent exhibition of irrigation ever presented at such a fair.

A. O. Brodie is in the East for a stay of several weeks, visiting relatives and, incidentally, for a short stay at the White House with his friend, President Roosevelt. He will return with Mrs. Brodie soon after the holidays. Secretary I. T. Stoddard returned to take up the work of the Executive, and is now acting Governor. William English, for several years assistant Secretary of Arizona, has resigned the post and has gone to Chicago, where he will practice law. He has been succeeded by W. H. Teasley.

DRIVING OUT THE SALOONS.

The Demon Rum has had a couple of knockouts in Arizona, where he is supposed to rage without restriction. By their votes, the electors of the northern part of the Salt River Valley, including the towns of Glendale, Alhambra and Phoenix, excepting one year, the city of Phoenix, have decided that the sale of liquor shall be illegal in such territory. Several of the saloons have renamed themselves "clubs," but will be proceeded against as actively as though no change had been made.

Several of the mining camps of Arizona have likewise declared prohibition, so the sturdy miner has been compelled in a number of instances to travel so far for his booze as to render intoxication unattractive. The Mesa Town Council prohibited the opening of saloons on Sunday. The order caused much disapprobation in the community. A large number of business men petitioned for a return to the open Sunday, as having an excellent effect upon business.

The city of Phoenix has acquired a gold mine. It has bought for road making use of a quarry of decomposed granite east of the city, through which runs a well-defined quartz ledge, on which assessment work has been kept up and which carries good values in gold.

For the use of the National Guard of Arizona 287 Krag-Jorgensen rifles and carbines, and all the necessary accoutrements, were received yesterday.

SUGAR FACTORY TROUBLES.

Work has been at a standstill for several weeks on the best sugar factory, near Glendale. The iron framework is up but nothing else has been done save to make a few contracts for the planting of beets. It is understood that the operating company is waiting for the action of Congress on the Cuban reciprocity measure, presumably with the intention of abandoning the scheme, for a while at least. If Cuban sugar is admitted free of duty, the slump in the stock market has stimulated against the sale of bonds in New York. Forty-five thousand dollars, in coin and in land, has been donated as a bonus by the people of the Salt River Valley, contingent upon the operation of the new enterprise next summer. It is now believed that it will be impossible for the company to carry out the terms of its contract.

Large shipments of oranges, mainly navelas, are being made from Phoenix and Mesa to Chicago and New York. The oranges have ripened well and the crop is the heaviest ever known in the valley. The crop of grape fruit is also large and of superior quality. Orange growers have been competing with each other in the production of gigantic fruit. The record thus far is held by E. A. Spaulding, who brought to the Board of Trade an orange weighing twenty-five ounces.

The new pumping plant lately installed at Sacaton, on the Pima and Maricopa Indian reservation, has proved a success, regularly lifting 200 inches of water for the irrigation of the agency farm.

About twenty-five carloads of honey have been shipped from the Salt River Valley during 1922.

Maricopa county receives over \$2000 income per annum from the licensing of games of chance.

LARGE INCREASE IN WAGES.

Employees of the Maricopa and Phoenix Railway, transferred with the corporation to the Southern Pacific area.

tem, have benefited largely by the change, receiving an average advance of over 50 per cent. in salary. This is with the exception of the section men, whose wages have been reduced to correspond with the main-line scale.

General Manager R. E. Wells of the Salt Lake Railway, formerly occupied the same position with the Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix road. To him in his new place have gone a score or more of his old subordinates in Arizona, including General Passenger Agent Gillette, and a large number of men from the operating department. Thomas Sloan, for several years ticket agent of the Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix, has just gone to Salt Lake to take a place under Gillette. James B. Cowley of the roadmaster's force of the Santa Fe, Prescott and Phoenix, has left that road to take charge of a track-laying machine of the Salt Lake line in Nevada.

D. G. Locke, roadmaster of the Maricopa and Phoenix Railroad, died in this city Wednesday.

Charles A. Munn, a Chicago banker, in Phoenix in the hope of health, died here a few days ago of consumption. J. Carter, a Tempe resident, in showing his wife how to handle a revolver, accidentally discharged the weapon and the bullet penetrated his wife's knee. It is believed amputation can be avoided.

In Phoenix has been organized a branch of the Brotherhood of Painters, Decorators and Paper Hangers of America. C. M. Ford, a smooth individual who victimized two Phoenix lawyers out of \$125 each, was adjudged enough at Santa Fe, N. M., to "take in" the noted Thomas B. Catron. Catron had the fellow followed up and arrested, and he will be returned to Santa Fe for trial.

MAN AND MONEY GONE.

FOUL PLAY FEARED.

T. H. BICKLES HAS NOT BEEN SEEN SINCE SATURDAY.

Drew Several Hundred Dollars to Pay His Men, But They Did Not Receive Their Wages and Bickles Cannot be Found—Police Are Investigating.

T. H. Bickles, a carpenter and contractor who resides at No. 1023 Douglas street, has been missing from home since Saturday afternoon. His wife fears he has met with foul play, although the officers have been unable to find any evidence to support that theory. He had an important contract on Pasadena avenue, and employed a number of men. Saturday forenoon he drew between \$300 and \$400 from the Southwestern National Bank at Second and Broadway, and stated to a relative that he was going to take a car to Pasadena, where he had a job. He was last seen at the bank, or at least they have not reported the matter to either his relatives or the officers.

Investigation by the detectives to whom the disappearance was reported, shows that Bickles did not go to Pasadena avenue, and did not pay the men in his employ, but the officers have been unable to ascertain where he went or where he now is. When the matter was first reported the request was made that it be kept secret. It was supposed Bickles would return home by Monday, but when he did not come yesterday, the officers were requested to make the matter public.

Those who have been investigating the case are not yet prepared to accept the foul play theory, although the possession of that amount of money would be sufficient to induce thieves to waylay him. The officers believe he has left the city, and may return within a short time, or at least send word.

FELL FORTY FEET AND LIVED.

Painter Dropped Off Pasadena Car While Crossing a Viaduct and Was Found Hours Later on Railroad.

George Moorehead, a painter whose home is at No. 170 East Thirty-sixth street, was found yesterday lying unconscious alongside the Southern Pacific tracks under the viaduct of the Pasadena electric line, which crosses the railroad northwest of the County Hospital. He was suffering from a fracture of the left thigh and from other serious injuries which will confine him to his bed for many weeks, if they do not result in his death. Some time during the night before he had fallen from a Pasadena car, and had dropped forty feet to the railroad tracks below.

Moorehead was going to Pasadena, and decided to take a following car. He did not know that the car was on the viaduct, and when he awoke he fell off the tracks below. Yesterday morning a roundhouse employee of the Southern Pacific found him lying on the tracks near the Emergency Hospital, where Dr. Cates, the Southern Pacific surgeon, attended him.

The accident was similar to that which happened the night before to Edward Harbison, a Pasadena carpenter, who fell off the viaduct near Aliso and Anderson streets.

PERSONAL.

Thomas Spellacy, interested in the oil industry at Bakersfield, is registered at the Hollenbeck.

A. S. Jenks, a retired druggist of New York City, is stopping at the Nadeau, en route to San Francisco.

W. H. Lyman, interested in the mining development of Arizona, is registered at the Hollenbeck from Yuma.

E. T. Dunning has just returned from a business trip to Arizona, made in the interest of the Wholesalers' trade board.

J. B. Doud, a dry goods jobber of San Francisco, has apartments at the Van Nuys. He is mingling pleasure with business.

George W. Stevens, a wholesale druggist of Detroit, Mich., is registered at the Hollenbeck. He is touring the Pacific Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Greenwood of Denver, Colo., have taken apartments at the Nadeau, proposing to remain in Southern California for the winter. Mr. Greenwood is one of the large real estate holders of the Silver City.

H. E. Noble of Portland, Or., is in this city on a short business trip. On his return to the northland Mr. Noble will be accompanied by his daughter, who is a student here at the College Institute. Miss Noble will return after the holidays.

Frank P. Wells, head of the great boot and shoe factory located at Buffalo, N. Y., is in the city proposing to remain for the winter. Other members of his family are en route. In his private touring car Mr. Wells will see the sights of Southern California.

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## GRAHAM GETS ANOTHER SOP.

Aged Woman the Last Victim of the Political Machine.

Bounced from the County Farm to Make Place for Another.

Mrs. Bangs Presets Forced Resignation to the Supervisors.

The gratestful man—Supervisor Graham—has neatly despatched Mrs. A. L. Bangs, matron of the County Farm, to make room for another of his friends.

Mr. Graham has so many political friends and he is so loyal to them that the victims of every administration are strewn about like unto the bloody fruits of a general massacre.

It is claimed that Mrs. Bangs is one of them. Yesterday, her resignation as matron was presented at the meeting of the Supervisors. There were no explanations. She simply resigned, her resignation to take effect January 1.

Each of the Supervisors who was asked about it quivered like a fly in a puddle of lasses. Supervisor Graham quivered like two flies on the same hunk.

The others said: "You had better ask Mr. Graham." Mr. Graham said, sorrowfully: "Well, Mrs. Bangs is quite an old lady and we do not want this to get out if it can possibly be avoided."

Mrs. Bangs at the County Farm said yesterday that all she had done that could be possibly construed as an offense was to leave the grounds once without permission. She claimed that Graham had chopped her head off to make a place for another of his friends.

As so many others have gone the same way ere this, it is doubtless true. All of this is due, not to a mercenary state of mind in Supervisor Graham, but to a most laughable state of affairs on the Board of Supervisors which enables Graham to have the bulge always.

There are four members of the board. Alexander and Longenecker are always on one side of every question and Wilson and Patterson, from principle, take the other; this is invariable. Graham came onto the board when this state of things was already in existence.

"Canny man!" He took advantage of the split and arrayed himself with neither, but dangled between.

It is plain to see that nobody cares much about that digging but Graham. He has to be propitiated if his favor is to be gained. Graham is blessed with many clamorous friends. He has stuck 'em in everywhere.

When Justice Pierce opened his new court, he had to have a clerk. Graham had a candidate.

But oh, woe! It was learned that this clerk must be appointed and paid by the justice himself and was not a public official at all. Graham for a moment was daunted, but his spirit rose triumphant.

"Come on, let's elect him anyhow," said Graham. So they elected him, anyhow. Justice Pierce, being a gentleman of great discretion, was graciously pleased with their choice and another friend of Graham's had landed.

PREACHERS MEETING.

Rev. W. W. Cookman Calls for a More Practical Religion—Francis Murphy to Preach on Christmas.

As a part of the Methodist preachers of the city yesterday, Rev. W. W. Cookman of Lincoln Avenue Methodist Church, Pasadena, who is a son of the noted Alfred Cookman, delivered the principal address.

His theme was "The Church for the Age." The speaker declared that the church should be more practical and less given to theories; that while the gospel remains the same the method of presentation must be determined by the character of the age.

In the discussion that followed, Dr. A. C. Maxwell of Pasadena related an anecdote of the preacher who helped a man drive a stubborn cow across the road and thereby helped the man and his family into the church.

Rev. H. W. White of Pico Heights said: "The church will not succeed by conforming to the spirit of the age but by being true to the ideal of the Christ."

Dr. U. L. Walker, a returned missionary, spoke of the work in Liberia. Francis Murphy will deliver the Christmas sermon at the preachers' meeting next Monday morning.

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## THE CITY IN BRIEF.

## NEWS AND BUSINESS.

## Evangelist Pratt.

"Confession" was the subject of Evangelist S. Pratt in Orchard Avenue Baptist Church last night. "Every person who believes on the Lord Jesus Christ," he said, "should be a confessor. The Bible urges confession just as earnestly as it does belief." The meetings will continue each evening this week.

## Lost Two Fingers.

M. H. Green, a member of the Green-Marshall Paint Company, was the victim of a serious accident yesterday afternoon. While working a mixing machine at the company's works, at Fourteenth and Lawrence streets, his hand was caught in a cog gear, and the third and fourth fingers were so badly crushed that Police Surgeon Smith found it necessary to amputate both of them.

## Heir to a Fortune.

Chief Elton received a letter yesterday from Dr. A. J. Barry of Colorado Springs, Colo., asking that an effort be made to find M. Barry, an employee of the Globe Oil Company, whose last known address was No. 242 North Main street, this city, and who at one time was employed at Hakersfield. The letter stated that the man was wanted in order that he may receive his portion of a large fortune to which he has taken heir through the death of a relative.

## Artist Arrested for Theft.

Thomas Nash, an artist, was arrested yesterday for theft in a hardware store on Main street near Second. Patrolman W. B. Craig caught Nash stealing a fine tarpaulin valued at \$2. He was arrested, admitted his guilt and begged that the matter be dropped because he said that if it became public his reputation would be ruined. He was taken to the Police Court and given until tomorrow in which to plead. Nash was once accused of stealing several small articles from the Tulsa-Lyon Arms Company, but was not prosecuted. He lives in Santa Monica and has painted portraits of several prominent citizens of this city and other places.

## Nearly Killed by a Train.

Roy Mitchell, an employee of the Sentosa Packing Company, had a narrow escape from death last night at the Ninth-street crossing of the Santa Fe Railroad tracks near the Ninth-street bridge. He was driving a double team and while crossing the tracks, a north-bound passenger train from Santa Ana crashed into his wagon. One horse was badly injured and had to be killed. Mitchell was hurled a distance of twenty feet and seriously hurt, and the wagon was smashed to splinters. He was rushed to the Receiving Hospital. His scalp was laid open for several inches and he was suffering from concussion of the brain. He will be taken to the Sisters' Hospital today.

## Bald Thief Caught.

Roy Scaphignini, aged 19, a former inmate of the State reformatory at Whittier, last night on parole, was arrested after being detected by Detective Rich on a charge of grand larceny. He was employed in the baggage-room of the Arcade depot. He took a fine trunk from the baggage-room, removed the check and sent it to his room at No. 424 Central avenue. After rifling it and finding the trunk empty, he returned it to the depot. He was detected by Detective Rich, who followed him to his room and found the trunk open. The owner of the trunk reported the loss and when Scaphignini brought the trunk back to the depot it was recognized. It was checked as directed and he returned to his room, where an officer found him. He was heavily armed and when accused of the theft admitted his guilt. Scaphignini may either be sent back to Whittier or to the penitentiary.

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A meeting will be held in the parlor of Simpson Auditorium Wednesday evening, December 14, at 7:45, to consider recalling Dr. J. S. Thomson to the Independent Church of Christ. A full attendance is requested. Lyman Farwell, secretary; Edw. C. Manning, president, board of managers.

Theodore Payne, nurseryman and greenhouse, 449 South Broadway, has just received a choice lot of ferns and house plants, hanging baskets, etc., suitable for Christmas presents. The public is invited to call and inspect same.

All orders will be promptly finished for Christmas. Phone for sittings at once: finest portraits, carbon, platinum, in the studio. W. A. Dillman, artistic photographer, 251 S. Broadway.

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Denver Man Tells President of Scheme Which Puts Him in the Category of "Financial Wizards."

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.—ALL DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 14.—Ruth T. Farnsworth of Denver has sent to the President and each member of Congress an outline of a plan to provide funds for building the Panama Canal by issuing "canal construction money," secured on the canal, and to be redeemed out of tolls collected from ships passing through the canal. The plan is intended to avoid the issuance of interest-bearing bonds. The statement sent to Congressmen gives a detailed description of a public enterprise, successfully carried out on the island of Guernsey by the use of this method.

The proposition differs widely from the issuance of greenbacks by the American government during the Civil War, in that the proposed "canal construction money" would be based specifically on the security of the canal itself.

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George T. Fant, aged 30, a native of England; and Wanda R. Adams, aged 22, a native of Russia; both residents of Los Angeles.

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Frederick T. Hall, aged 27, a native of Kansas; and Florence May Spencer, aged 19, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

John Elmer Gamble, aged 25, a native of Iowa; and Elizabeth Moore, aged 20, a native of Nebraska; both residents of Los Angeles.

Clarence Byron Schumacher, aged 21, a native of Indiana; and Ella Louise Bonner, aged 24, a native of Missouri; both residents of Pasadena.

John Bondi, aged 52, a native of Switzerland; and Mrs. Annie M. Dean, aged 55, a native of Denmark; both residents of South Pasadena.

John A. Hoffman, aged 27, a native of Minnesota; and Elizabeth Moore, aged 24, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

William C. McElroy, aged 35, a native of Missouri; and Flora Belle Snodgrass, aged 28, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

Noc Legaspy, aged 30, a native of Mexico; and Elvira Gamboa, aged 22, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

**BIRTH RECORD.**  
PALMER—To Mr. and Mrs. David Palmer of South St. Louis street, December 8, a daughter, Stanley—December 11, 1933, to the wife of Edgar S. Palmer, a daughter.

**DEATH RECORD.**  
HEBER—At his late residence, No. 142 East Fourth street, Emil Heber, aged 45 years, beloved husband of Elizabeth Heber, died Wednesday, December 13, 1933, at 10:30 a.m. Interment: Rosehill cemetery.

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## GENTLE SEX TRIES BLACK.

Sporting Lady Wins a Big Pot from the Colonel.

Can't Get in Kiosk, but Bet on Races from Across Street.

Poolroom Boss Declares He Will Fold Up His Tent.

Since Col. Black, the poolroom boss, moved to Vernon, his business has grown to such proportions that the women have developed a craze for "the ponies." One sporting lady won \$200 out of the colonel last week, and the news, spreading like wildfire, created a

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Brass and Cymbals Crashing Against Ellery.

Local Musicians Set Back Fires to Roast Out Italians.

Manager of "Royal Los Angeles" Says It's Infamous.

One of the biggest discords of the season threatens to tune up among men whose profession is the making of harmony.

In brief, the proposed "Royal Los Angeles Band" is bitterly opposed by

The following remarks:

"That man Blasiniame has had his nose in right along, and at a good price, too," from one.

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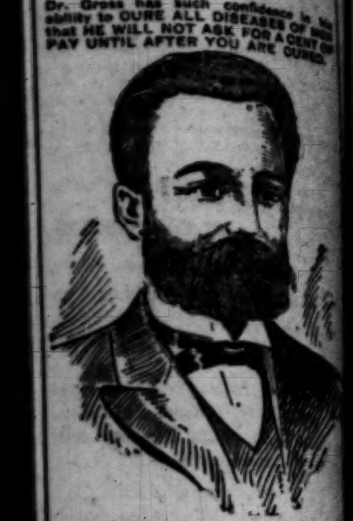
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